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By: **Garrett County Delegation**  
Introduced and read first time: January 30, 2003  
Assigned to: Appropriations

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Employees' Pension System - Additional Service Credit - Town of Oakland**

3 FOR the purpose of providing certain employees of the Town of Oakland with a  
4 certain amount of additional service credit in the Employees' Pension System;  
5 prohibiting certain employees of the Town of Oakland from receiving a certain  
6 amount of additional service credit in the Employees' Pension System; and  
7 generally relating to additional service credit for the employees of the Town of  
8 Oakland.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article - State Personnel and Pensions  
11 Section 31-111.2  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (1997 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

16 **Article - State Personnel and Pensions**

17 31-111.2.

18 (a) An employee of the Town of Oakland WHO WAS AN EMPLOYEE ON JUNE 30,  
19 2000, AND WHO REMAINS AN EMPLOYEE ON JUNE 30, 2003, shall receive [one-third of  
20 the ] ADDITIONAL service credit [for] TO EQUAL THE TOTAL eligibility service and  
21 creditable service ACCRUED prior to the effective date [in the amount of the  
22 employee's credit] THAT THE TOWN OF OAKLAND BEGAN PARTICIPATING IN THE  
23 EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM, as certified by the Town of Oakland [as of the  
24 effective date].

25 (b) If an employee or a former employee of the Town of Oakland becomes a  
26 member of the Employees' Pension System at any time after the effective date THAT  
27 THE TOWN OF OAKLAND BEGAN PARTICIPATING IN THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION  
28 SYSTEM, the employee may not receive service credit for employment with the Town

1 of Oakland before the effective date THAT THE TOWN OF OAKLAND BEGAN  
2 PARTICIPATING IN THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
4 July 1, 2003.